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Director, Central Intelligence Agency

8 May 1950

Assistant Director, Special Operations

Request for the Delegation of Certain Authorities
to the Executive Officer, OSO

In view of the fact that this Office is currently operating without a Deputy Assistant Director and with a view to expediting certain administrative actions, it is requested that the following authorities now delegated to the undersigned likewise be delegated to the Executive Officer, OSO.

a. Authority set forth [REDACTED] dated 9 December 1949 to sign personnel actions requiring action by the Executive.

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b. Authority set forth [REDACTED] dated 22 April 1949 relating to the approval of leave without pay.

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[REDACTED]
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9 May: the above memo was routed to Legal by Acting Exec with notation on buckslip, "Any legal objection?"

11 May: The above memo was returned to Acting Exec with notation on buckslip by LRHouston:

"No, but [REDACTED] was signed by DCI and I doubt that the Executive could or should enlarge on restrictions imposed therein. [REDACTED] signed by Acting Executive so no objection to enlarging on approval authority in para. 9a.

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